DERSON TO BE SCRUTINIZED. REPUBLICAN CAMPAIGN METHODS

They Are Developed in Thorp-Epen Appointtox Park and Peace Monnment-Washington Personals,

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 14.medial .- The confirmation of S. Brown as United States Marshal, and morney for the Western District of reinia is held up in the Judiciary Comtee of the Senate. This, it is underof the Virginia Senators, to allow ressman Jacob Yost reasonable time as charges against one of the an

before the Judiciary Committee toow, and will discuss the record of goes. Allen, as it appears in the how the Senate can afford to

HORP-EPES CONTEST. only sent out an educa- standard of our clothing. the negroes in the Fourth Dis ent, which was produced be ctions Committee, directing how to testify when their should be taken in the con-latter circular created a sen he committee-room. It gave which the witnesses would nd the answers they should questions. Members of the and others present, were as-

in Young was busy to-day. a party of visiting friends Edward Walcott, and Mr. V. Brosman and W. J. Dunn setts. Mr. Young introduced men to the Virginia Senators entatives, took them into the gallery, pointed out the nota-entatives, the Speaker, of t needing a being pointed out. basement to dome. d them in the House resleft for home by the POMATTOX PARK.

to veterans, and the Com- were not his.

bill to pay to Malvina Max-distratrix of John Churchman, "When did you first ascertain that Lady Sykes had forged your signature?" coun-

dy, of Richmond, who have stopping at the Metropolirn to Richmond to-morrow. B. and Mrs. Cowardin, who ere visiting their sons at College for the past few d to Richmond by the af-

> Moon, Edwin C. Rollins, and h were appointed watchmen ik navy-yard to-day, or Pritchard held a crowded

her handsome residence. Thomas Circle, on Thursday nong her callers were many picmatic, army and navy, circles, Mrs. Pritchard's a black and white brocade, th black chiffon. She is a nde, with Titlan-colored hair maffected manners, and keeps idial smiles for the Senator's ina constituents. Williams, of Richmond, has

e city several days on business, pring at the Metropolitan. Bonitz and wife, Wilmington, W. Payne and wife, Rich-F. C. Moore, Lynchburg, Va.; ey. Richmond-National. Robert W. Burke, of Staunton,

guest at the Metropolitan. Sayder, North Carolina; C. H. Virginia; J. F. Elliott, Char-Va.; J. C. Pentz, Virginia-St. Moore, Norfolk, Va.; W. Wil-

Lynchburg-Emrich. POSTAL. Putnam has been commis

fourth-class postmaster at Col-N. C., and Burthers T. Clayton Va.—not money-order offices.

ALL QUIET AT EARLBORG'.

Scare, Which Is All Over. ASHINGTON, January 14.-Adjutant Breck has received the following from General Brooke, at Chi-

last night: Eskridge telegraphs from Earlall is quiet there. Poth sides excited and threatening. There le gathering of Seminoles; none and the whole thing was a which is all over. In view of ad any troops to the border beontemplated by your telegram



the world there is no other treatment



Men's Suit and Overcoat Sale at a

Everything too good, too was done at the request of one, or old, too many, that in any way we can pick a quarrel with, has to "walk the plank."

We weight its feet with a egrossman Yost will probably ap- low price and overboard it

Now, we've embraced alrginia Reports." He has no new most our entire stock of Suits, bring against Allen, but he does Overcoats, and Odd Pants in him, Mr. Yost declined to be in- our GREATEST REDUCTION SALE, and men of Richmond and vicinity are not slow to ges contest, it was brought out realize what our "mark-Mellwains that Mr. downs" mean-they know the

> \$ 8.00 Sults now \$ 4.75. 10.00 Suits now 6.75. 7.75. 8.75. 12.50 Suits now 15.00 Suits now 8.75. 20.00 Suits now 13.75. 25.00 Suits now 17.75.

MEN'S TROUSERS in the neatest as well as most serviceable patterns, altered to suit your fancy at a little over ircular damaged Thorp's HALF PRICE.

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TRIAL OF LADY SYKES.

Sir Tatton on the Stand-His Charge of Forgery. LONDON, January 14.-Sir Edward

Clark, Queen's counsel, opened for the devisiting gentlemen were with Mr. Young's enterrecover from Lady Sykes, wife of Sir Tattan Sykes, baronet, the sum of £15,the security of notes apparently signed a bill for the establish- | "absordity of the suggestion" that a mar of the wealth of Sir Tatton Sykes, able monument at Appointation to obtain any sums on easy terms, should

of never heard of Mr. Jay until May 1897, of when the payment of the notes was de-of manded. The signatures, he continued.

Lawson Walton, Queen's counsel, cross The amount necessary to examined Sir Tatton, and showed him the checks which a Monte Carlo banker monument on the McLean yesterday testified Sir Tatton had signed mittee on War Claims has rebrably a bill to give Mrs. Julia
ries, of Fredericksburg. Va.

claim of \$19,000, part of the
aving been destroyed during a
which the government will alwhen sation.

"Do you suggest," asked Mr. Walton,
"that Lady Sykes has been forging your
ware."

"I would rather not discuss the mat-

came aware that my signature had been forged in a number of transactions."

An expert in handwriting, named Englis, testified that the signatures on the bills and letters of authority purport-ing to be signed by Sir Tatton Sykes were, in his opinion, forgeries, executed by a woman. Sir Tatton Sykes denied generally his

wife's evidence, and said he regarded the transaction with Mr. Jay as being "wicked and criminal conduct" upon the part er Ladyship. The case was adjourned until Monday,

THE MONETARY HEARING.

Mr. Taylor Speaks Further-Mr. Fries on Southern Needs. WASHINGTON, January 14.-Mr. Ro-

bert S. Taylor, of Indiana, a member of the Monetary Commission, was again before the House Banking and Currency Committee at to-day's session. He referred to the inadequacy of the banking facilities of the South and West, and suggested that for the present this country must look mainly to independent, small local banks for the relief which is needed, though he consoled that though he conceded that an extensive system of branch banks might have a more effective tendency to equalize rates

Mr. John W. Fries, the North Carolina Mr. Jone W. Fris.
member of the commission, sketched
briefly the prevailing conditions in the
South, and particularly in his own State. South, and particularly in his own State.

He created a smile by explaining that
North Carolina was conspicuous for two
things—it furnished the country with
the great apostle of discontent, Colonel
Leonidas Polk, and it also furnished the
larger part of the output of cigarettes,
which are regarded as so harmful to the
youth of the country.

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Dropping into a more serious strain,

Mr. Fries went or to say that the people

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Mr. Pries went or to say that the people of North Carolina are clamoring for money. He did not think that this meant cheaper money, but better facilities for the transaction of business. This, said he, can only be secured by the establish-ment of such a banking system as will make it possible that the people will get these facilities.

Mr. Fries's statement lasted throughout the day. The committee then adjourned until Monday, when Secretary Gage and ex-Secretary Fairchild will be heard fur-

THE TRIAL OF LUETGERT.

Defence Cross-Examines to Its Own Discomfiture.

CHICAGO. January 15.—Direct testimony on the part of the State against Adolph Luetgert, the alleged wife-murderer, was finished to-day after 198 hours in court. Dr. Dorsey was the last witness, and his cross-examination by Attorney Harmon resulted disastrously to the defence, the sausage-maker's lawyer torney Harmon resulted disastronsly to the defence, the sausage-maker's lawyer foringing out emphatic reiterations of matter material to the State's case. When Dr. Dorsey had finished Mr. Harmon objected to the introduction of

all the evidence and testimony which had been offered by the State, a motion which the Court overrulel, and then the lawyer, the Court overrulel, and then the lawyer, after excepting, asked that the State put Louis Luetgert on the stand, his contention being that his name was on the back of the indictment. Assistant-State-Attorney McEwen replied that when as a lawyer he produced a witness he vouched for his truthfulness, and that as he could not sound for the integrity of Louis for his truthfulness, and that as he could not vouch for the integrity of Louis Luetgert he declined to put him on the stand. The Court agreed with the prosestand. The Court agreed with the prosecution, and notified Mr. Harmon that he must be ready to proceed to-morrow morrows.

Strike of Weavers to Stand. NEW BEDFORD, MASS., January 14.— At a mass-meeting of the union and non-

union weavers to-night, the action of the union in voting to strike was endorsed, and it was voted to stay out until the abuses claimed by the weavers are cor-rected.

AN ITALIAN REPUBLIC.

Advocacy of One, Said to Re Inspired by the Vatiena.

LONDON, January 15 .- The Rome cortespondent of the Dally Chronicle, in a startling statement this morning, quotes largely from an article in Civita Cattolica, which, he declares, is directly inspired by

largely from an article in Civita Cattolica, which, he declares, is directly inspired by the Vatican and the Pope, advocating as the solution of the eternal question between the Vatican and the Quirinal the establishment of an Italian republic.

The article, which is based on the Pope's Caristrans allocution, declares that the thing which stands opposed to Papal independence is not Italian unity, but "the special and concrete form wherein that unity is at present maintained, with results much more disastrons to the State than to the Holy See."

It proceeds to assert that the co-existence of the Vatican and that one or the other must go. It then suggests the constitutions and cities of Switzerland and America as examples of "admirable and glorious constitutions, true unities of nation and State, though differing from that of Italy, which has produced nothing but weakness, misery, and starvation."

The article concludes as follows: "Without the aid of foreign beyonets, the true Italy will find for itself its own way, and will rise again, let us hope, from the ignominy in which it now lies prostrate, to true greatness."

The Daily Chronicle's correspondent as-

nominy in which it now lies prostrate, to true greatness."

The Daily Chronicle's correspondent asserts that this is "an international revelation to the outer world of the policy actualing the inner mind of Cardinal Rampolia" (Papal Secretary of State). He adds: "Probably there would be no truth in the supposition that either Cardinal Rampolia or the Pone has any idea of even a temporary alliance with the Republican party, but yet they believe that while peace with the King is impossible, it might be possible with a republic.

"The reason for the appearance of this setounding pronouncement at the present

netounding pronouncement at the present moment is the belief that not only the Ministry, but the dynasty itself, is me-naced more seriously than usual."

NEW ORLEANS RACES.

the Conditions. NEW ORLEANS, LA., January 14.-

the racing conditions to-day. The attend

First race—fifteen-sixteenths of a mile— David (4 to 5) won, Van Brunt (4 to 1 and to 5) second, Domingo (30 to 1) third.

Second race—thirteen-sixteenths of a nile—Teeta May (100 to 1) won, Little Muje (20 to 1 and 10 to 3) second, Sauterne to 5) third. Time, 1:27 1-4.

Third race—mile and twenty yards—Sea tobber (1 to 4) won, A. B. C. (9 to 1 and 3 o 2) second, Bridgeton (10 to 1) third.

Ime. 1:51 1-2.

Fourth race—bandless, six furlows—" bouret (even) won, George B. Cox (4 to 1 and out) second, Pete Archer (4 to 1) third. Pline 1:19. Fourth race-handicap, six furlongs-Ta

lifth race-six furlongs-Mitt Boykin 6 won, Gyp Ivor (2 to 1 and 4 to 5) se-Belle of Fordham (12 to 1) third. 1:19 1-2. Time, 1:19 1-2.
Sixth race-fifteen-sixteenths of a mile-exington Pirate (13 to 5) won, Carlotta C. is to 1 and 2 to 1) second, Full Hand (30 to third. Time, 1:421-2.

ENTRIES FOR SPRING STAKES. ENTRIES FOR SPRING STAKES.

LOUISVILLE, KY., January 14.—Entries for the spring stakes of the new Louisville Jockey Club close to-morrow. Eleven stakes will be run during the fitteen days, beginning May 4th. Three of these events—the Kentucky I rby, \$6,000; Clark Stakes, \$4,000, and Ken'ucky Oaks, \$5,000—were closed some time ago.

All the high-class 3-year-sids in the West are among the eligibes to the coming Kentucky Derby, including Plaudit, Howland, Bangle, Banne kburn, Dr. Black, Frank Thompson, Leber, Karl, Sacket, Hand d'Or, Don Quir te, George Keene, Eitheline, Official, Is bey, Gallivant, Pacemaker, Pontus, 170 others, Hamburg is also sligible, but will probant, Pacemaker, Pontus, and others, in the pre-imburg is also eligible, but will proba-be raced exclusively in the East, colonel M. Lewis Clark will be the pre-ing judge, and will have this asso-te in the stand Secretary Price.

ENTRIES AT MEMPY IS.

MEMPHIS, TENN., January 14.—The ntries to the Spring Stakes, offered by he new Memphis Jockey Cab for its reeting, which begins April 97, and connues for nineteen days, short a gratify gincrease over last year. Intries for the eleven stakes opened agregate 698, an average of about 5 to each fixed cent, as compared with an average of mpared with an average of The list of nonvinations in-

s sixty-six nominations. The Derby \$5,000 guaranteed, but new year the b adds \$3,000, which enhances its value over \$7,000. Secretary Macrariand and mores that next year's Dorby, which sed January ist, has its ubscribers, e nominations include all the entered this year's 2-year-old even-4.

SILVER PARTY CONFERENCE.

Forthcoming Joint Manifato-Common Action Sought for 1900.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Je Tuary 14.—
As a result of conferences Teld within the last few days between the Silver leaders of various parties, E is underleaders of various parties, f5 is under-stood that Chairman Jones, of the Demo-cratic National Committee; Chairman Butler, of the Populist National Com-mittee, and Chairman Towne, of the Sil-ver Republican National Committee, will issue a joint manifesto the evely part of next week, with a view to securing com-mon action by the three of annizations in the presidential contest of 1900. The draft of the document is now in course of preparation.

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It will appeal to all those interested in the cause of silver to work in union, and to avoid rival organilations, by which their common strength will be dissipated.

Messrs, Jones, Butler, and Towne will confer further during the next few days, and the address will then be made pub-

lic.
On the 18th instant the American Bimetallic Union, of which General Warner,
of Ohio, is president, holds its meeting
here, and this is expected to give further
cohesion to the joint diver movement.

UNITED MINE WORKERS.

Lively Debate on Peport of Wage-Scale Corn littee.

COLUMBUS, O., 'anuary 14.-The United Mine-Workers' Convention had a lively executive session this afternoon, considering the report of the Wage-Scale Committee. The confintion went into executive session, and the proceedings

were secret.

The committee recommended that an advance of 10 per cent, per ton be demanded in the price of mining, and there was a lively debate over the question of the differential, the fittsburg delegates

opposing it.

The convention a lourned without taking any action on the report, and will begin business at 7 o'c ock in the morning, in order to close to the work of the convention preparator, to the trip to

BANK CHECK'S STOLEN.

Large Number Tak h from Letter-Boxes and Talsed.

NEW YORK, Januar 14.—The banks of this city were notified to day that a large number of checks had been stolen from number of checks had been stolen from letter-boxes in Detroit Buffalo, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Toledo, Eleveland, Kansas City, and Milwaukee by in organized gang of thieves. Some of the checks have been raised and altered by it has of acids. In several instances the several instances the leeks raised to a large amount cashed. At a result of these thatis, it is said the lanks throughout thefts, it is said, the lanks throughout intry will requ'te more positive the country identification.

FORT SMITH I LATH-LIST. It Is Now Certain "t Will Exceed Fitte FORT SMITH, ARK, ylanuary 14.-Two ames were added to by to the death-

names were added to by to the deathlist of victims of Turaday hights of nado. Anna Savage did last night, and H. Hunter died at nool. This makes the total number of dead! http-five.

It is believed that it least two more bodies are under the rd is of the Burgess Hotel. The cook and a han named Ennis are missing.

Of the wounded the are expected to die, and it is now cert! If that the death-list will exceed fifty.

## A PLAGUE OF THE NIGHT

ITCHING PILES AND OTHER RECTAL TROUBLES EASILY CURED BY A NEW AND SAFE METHOD.

Made by the Pyramid Pile Cure. About one person in every four suffer frem some form of rectal disease. The most common and annoying is itching piles, indicated by warmth, slight moisture, and intense, uncontrollable itching in the parts affected.

ple columnt or salve which sometimes give temporary relief, but nothing like a permanent cure can be expected from such superficial treatment.

The only permanent cure for itching piles yet discovered is the Pyramid Pile Cure, not only for itching piles, but for

The usual treatment has been some sim-

plies yet discovered is the Pyramid File Cure, not only for itching piles, but for every other form of piles, blind, bleeding, or protruding. The first application gives instant relief, and the continued use for a short time causes a permanent removal of the tumors or the small parasites which cause the interest teching and diswhich cause the intense itching and dis-comfort of itching piles.

Many physicians for a long time sup-posed that the remarkable relief afforded by the Pyramid Pile Cure was because it

was supposed to contain cocaine, oplum, or similar drugs, but such is not the case. A recent careful analysis of the remedy showed it to be absolutely free from any cocaine, opium, or, in fact, any poisonous, injurious drugs whatever, For this reason the Pyramid Pile Cure is probably the only pile cure extensively recommended by physicians, because

it is so safe, so prompt in the reilef af-forded, and, so far as known, the only positive cure for piles, except a surgical operation. In one year the Pyramid Pile Cure ha become the best known, the safest, and the most extensively sold of any pile

Nearly all druggists now sell it at 50c. and \$1 per package. the Pyramid Company, Mar shall, Mich., for book on cause and cure of piles, and also hundreds of testimo-nials from all parts of the United States. If suffering from any form of piles ask your druggist for a package of Pyramid Pile Cure and try it to-night.

## MARKET QUOTATIONS.

REPORTS FROM ALL GREAT BUSI-NESS CENTRES OF THE WORLD.

Prices of Money, Bonds, Stocks, Grain, Tobacco, Cotton, Cattle, Country Produce, &c., Foreign and Domestic.

NEW YORK, January 14.- The course of to-day's stock market was decidedly irregular, and somewhat perplexing, so far as a perception of the general tone of speculation was concerned. As the day progressed the lack of sustaining power in the strength of special stocks, which had been the marked characteristic of the market for several days past came to be more and more felt. The disposition to watch closely for signs of a reaction became more marked, and the final hour saw a very general throwing over of holdings by professional traders There was no special news to accoun for the break, and it was probably due, for the most part, to technical conditions. Stocks which have been recently prominent for strength were conspicuous in to-day's break by reason of profit-

There was a feeling of more or less uneasiness, also, over the tone of the news from Habana in regard to what is ex pected rather than what has happened. The fear that the Spanish Government's scheme of reform is on the point of breaking down is coupled with the apprehension that the time is imminent when intervention by the United States to save the island from anarchy will be impera-

ed to break the market. The opening strength was due to the somewhat feverish demand for local Traction stocks, due to special causes, and to the execu-tion of a large volume of buying for London account. Prices came higher from London at the opening, and probably 20,000 shares of the International stocks were bought for London account. There were also commission-house orders for

nvestment demand. The profit-taking invited by the ad-The profit-taking invited by the advances in special cases only served to increase the late weakness of stocks, which had failed to benefit from the early strength. As a consequence, there was a very general break of about a point. Covering of shorts served to retrieve part of the decline, but net losses of a point or over are frequent all through the

Money tended to become somewhat easier to-day, without any actual change being made in the quoted rates for call-loans. There was a brisk demand, howloans. ever, for commercial paper, which drow the rates down to a range of 3 to per cent. for the choice grades. To morrow's bank statement will show a large increase in the cash holdings.

The bond market was active early in the day, but became less active and re-acted slightly in the later dealings. Union Pacific and connecting line issues were strong. Seattle, Lake Shore, and East-ern first trust receipts rose 71-2 per cent. but lost part of it. Other active issues showed gains. Total sales, \$4,290,000.

United States new 4's, registered, were 1-8 lower, bid; do, coupon and the old 4's registered, 1-4 lower, and the 2's 1-2 The total sales of stocks were 487,600

shares, including Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, 21,900; Louisville and Nashville, 8,325; Manhattan L., 49,220; Michigan Central, 10.165; Hawaiian Commercial Com pany, 5,800; Missouri Pacific, 5,530; New York Central, 24,231; Northern Pacific 31,946; do. preferred, 20,197; Rock Island, 10,160; St. Paul, 23,505; Union Pacific, 42,550; Chicago Great Western, 11,050; People's Gas, 23,700; Sugar, 61,116. MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Money on call easy at 21-2@23-4 per cent.; last loan at 21-2 per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 3@4 per cent.

Sterling exchange heavy, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.84-3-4@34.85 for demand, and \$4.82-2@34.82-3-4 for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.82@34.83-1-2 and \$4.85-1-2@34.85 commercial bills, \$4.82.

Silver certificates, \$71-2@38-1-2. Bar silver, \$81-8. Mexican dollars, 463-8.

Government bonds weak, State bonds dull. Railroad bonds strong. BANK CLEARINGS.

The total bank clearings in the United States for the week were \$1.443.002.129; per cent. increase, 37.6; exclusive of New York, \$53,131,643; per cent. increase, 23.0. NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

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Chicago and Rastern Hinnots. 56

C. C. and St. Louis preferred 80

Delaware and Hudson 151

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MISCELLANEOUS.

Silver Certificates
Standard Rope and Twine.
American Sugar Kednery, bref.
T. C. and Iron.
U. S. Leather ...
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St. Louis and Southwestern 1st preferred.
Rio Grande Western Preferred.
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Hawaiian Commercial Company
Reading 1st preferred. ROND LIST.

Oregon Navigation 1st... Oregon Navigation 4's....

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Pacific 6's of '95 Reading 4's. H. G. W. 1sts St. L. & I. M. consol 5's... St. L. & S. F. general 6's,

RICHMOND SPORE TARKER

GOVERNMENT SERVICES. Bid. Asked.

United States 4's, 1907 ..... 114

Atlanta and Charlotte 1st 7'4. . 120

BANK STOCKS.

City Bank 25 2734
First National 100 162
Metropolitan 25 26
National Bank of Va 100 99
Planters National Bank 100 248
Petersburg Savings and 10rance Company 20 34
Security 100 104
State Bank of Virginia 100 138
Union Bank of Richmono 30 114
Virginia Trust Company 100 1095
Savings Bank of Richmond 25 37

Virginia Fire and Marine... 25 34 ... Virginia State ........ 25 2316 24

\*Quotations are for bonds maturing in not less than ten years.

Richmond, Va., January 14, 1888.

Private sales to-day were 25 hogsheads.
United States internal-revenue collections for the city of Richmond, Va., to-day were as follows: Tobacco, 34.128.12; cigars and cigarettes, 33.82.36. Total, 37.852.07.

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NEW YORK DRY-GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK January 14.—There is a slow but noticeable improvement in the dry-goods market. Cotton goods have come into more extended demand, which the influx of western and southern buyers demanded. The demand is well diversified, and includes brown goods, as well as worsted. The sales are now normal, but there is a distinct gain, which has put heart into the operations of sellers. In the woollen goods division the day has been fully as lively as yesterday, Buyers are inspecting the newly-opened lines, and are seemingly after large quantities. The sales on the new goods are of very fair proportions. Buyers are, of course, anxious to secure bargains, and the demand is subject to the conditions brought about by the higher prices of wool, and the necessity for keeping the prices of ready-made clothing within present limits. But woollen dealers who are willing to conduct business under these conditions can find their time well employed. In detail, staple cottons show no change in price conditions.

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C. H. & B. 4 & C.
Denver & R. G. 1sts.
Denver & R. G. 4 & East Tennessee 1sts.
Erie general 4 & F.
W. & D. 1sts. t. r.
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BALTIMORE PRODUCE MARKET. BALTIMORE, January 14.-Flour-Quiet spot and the month, | Missouri 0's | 100 |
M. K. T. 23\*	64
M. K. T. 4's	65
New York Central 1sts	110
New York Central 1sts	111
North Carolina 0's	125
North Carolina 4's	101
Northern Pacific 4's	62
Northern Pacific 6's	62
N. Y. C. & St. L. 4's	106
Northwastern Carolina 1st	123
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2001220.; western, tresn. 20
Potatoes—Steady: New
\$2.50; sweets, \$2.50634.
Cottonseed-Oil—Steady.
Petroleum—Dull.
Rosin—Steady.

Rosin—Steady.
Turpentine—Firm at 34 1-4334 3-4c.
Rice—Steady.
Molasses—Quiet.
Freights—Dull.
Coffee—Options opened steady at a 10% 15 points advance; advanced, with firmer undertone, on better European cables, smaller receipts at Rio and Santos, large warehouse deliveries, and steadier spot markets, and closed steady, with prices at a 5%15 points net advance; February, 5.55; May, 5.59; spot Rio dull and nominal; mild quiet.
Sugar—Raw lower to sell; refined steady.
NEW YORK DRY-GOODS MARKET.

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and unchanged.

Wheat—Steady: spot and the month, 961-42063-4c.; February, 963961-4c.; May, 923-4236c.; steamer No. 2 red, 913-4292c.; southern wheat, by sample, 920971-2c.; do. on grade, 921-2376.

Corn—Steady: spot and the month, 32-86321-2c.; Pebruary, 323-8325-8c.; steamer mixed, 205-8329-3-4c.; southern white corn, 39234c.; do. yellow, 29633c. Oats—Firm: No. 2 white, 291-2639c.; No. 2 mixed, 271-2828c.

Rye—Firm: No. 2, near-by, 521-2c.; No. 2 western, 531-2c.

Hay—Steady; choice timothy, \$13.

Grain Freights—Very dull: steamers steady: steam to Liverpool, per bushel, 33-4c, per bushel, January.

Sugar—Strong and unchanged.

Butter—Quiet and unchanged.

Eggs—Quiet and unchanged.

Eggs—Quiet and unchanged.

Cheese—Steady and unchanged.

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Chicago Produce Market. CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

4914

CHICAGO, January 14.-At the close of 4944 a duil scalping session in wheat to-dify
10314 May wheat showed a decline of about 4gc.
834 Site Firmness at Liverpool steadled the mar9044 ket early, but weak continental cables
1074 and selling by the Leiter interests caused
marked weakness late in the day. Corn
1194 and closed unchanged. Provisions show154 bit 155 ceptionally heavy selling.
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158 Leading futures ranged as follows:
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Opening. Highest. Lowest. Closing.

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January......2014
May......2914
July......3/36 26% 29% 30% 30% OATS-No. 2. May......234 July......224 23% 2354 2254 MESS PORK—For 8bt. January...\$0,30 89,30 May...... 0.42% 9.42% 89.2014 4.75 SHORT RIBS-Per 100 lbs.

January. 8 ... 8 ... 8 ... May .... 4.72% 4.85 + 67% 

CINCINNATI. CINCINNATI, O., January 14 .- Flour-Steady. Wheat-Firm; No. 2 red, 93c.

8334 Wheat-Firm; No. 2 red, 93c.
Corn-Firm; No. 2 mixed, 29c.
Oats-Firm; No. 2 mixed, 29c.
Oats-Firm; No. 2 mixed, 244,625c.
Rye-Steady; No. 2, 46c.
Lard-Quiet at \$4.69.
Bulk Meats-Firm at \$4.69.
Bacon-Quiet at \$5.50.
Whiskey-Easy.
Sugar-Firm
Eggs-Firm at 16½c.
Cheese-Firm. THE COTTON MARKETS.

Cheese—Firm.

LIVERPOOL, January 14.—4 P. M.—Cotton—Spot quiet; prices steady; American midding, 37-32d. The sales of the day were 19,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export, and included 2,500 bales American; receipts, 3,000 bales, including 2,900 bales American.

Futures opened quiet, with a moderate demand, and closed steady; American middling. low-middling clause. January, 311-64d., sellers; January and February, 39-6403 10-64d. buyers; February and March, 39-6403 10-64d. buyers; April and May, 311-64d. sellers; May and June, 312-64d. sellers; June and July, 313-64d., sellers; July and August, 313-6403 14-64d. buyers; August and September, 314-64d. buyers; September and October. 314-64d. buyers; August and September, 314-64d. buyers; New YORK. January 14.—Cotton—Steady; middling, 57-Sc.; net receipts, 1.138 bales; gross receipts, 1.68 bales; forwarded, 21 bales; sales, 18 bales—all spinners; stock, 135,779 bales.

Weekly: Net receipts, 8.381 bales; gross receipts, 4.713 bales; exports—to Great Britain, 7.179 bales; to Frauce, 2,679 bales; to the Continent, 4.36 bales; forwarded, 11-678 bales; sales, 1290 bales; Spinners, 280 bales;

Totals to-day; Net receipts, 13,201 bales;

\*Quosations are for bonds maturing in not less than ion years.

RICHMOND TOBACCO MARKET.
Richmond, Va., January 14, 1888.
Private sales to-day were 25 hogsheads.
United States internal-revenue collections for the city of Richmond, Va., to-day were as follows: Tobacco, 54,128,125.

Totals to-day: Net receipts, 32,201 bales; exports—to Great Britain, 15,369 bales; to France, 238 bales; tock, 1292,402 bales.
Consolidated: Net receipts, 32,205 bales; exports—to Great Britain, 117,128 bales; to France, 17,612 bales.
Totals since September 1st: Net receipts and cigarettes, 31,22,56.
Totals, 16,667,730 bales; exports—to Great Britain, 1974,803 bales; to France, 522,073 bales; to the Continent, 1,522,175 bales.
Cotton futures opened steady; sales, 2,500

bounds—highest price, 43.22, which is the highest price of the season.

Stonewall Warehouse had no sale to-day.

Mr. J. W. Bowles, a Hanover county manter, who sold part of his crop before Christmas, sold the remainder at Shockos Warehouse to-day. The highest price of the season was paid for his tobacco-518.75. His entire crop, lugs and all, averaged him 89. His tobacco was put on the floor in large plies, and the same quickly bid up. bid up.

All grades are strong this week, but lugs
particularly higher.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, January 14.—Flour—Was
neglected and weak on all but low grades;
Minnesota patents, \$5045.20; rye flour dull;
buckwheat flour quiet.

Buckwheat—Steady.

Cornmtal—Quiet.

Rye—Easy; No. 2, 541-4c.

Barley—Steady; feedling, 35c. bid; barley
malt quiet.

bales. Total, 6,067,720 bales.

NEW ORLEANS. January 14.—Cotton futures steady: sales, 22,300 bales; January 5,5,27 bid; February, 5,22,305,24; March, 5,22,325,24; April, 5,356,55,40; May, 5,442,56; April, 5,56,56; April, NAVAL-STORE MARKETS.

WILMINGTON, N. C., January 14.— Spirits of Turpentine—Steady at 314632c.; receipts, 161 casks, Rosin—Firm at \$1.15 and \$1.20; receipts, Rosin-Firm at \$1.50 and \$1.50 and \$1.50 and \$1.50; receipts, 12 barrels.

Tar-Firm at \$1.65; receipts, 33 barrels.

CHARLESTON, S. C., January H.—Turpentine-Firm at 31%c; sales, none.

Rosin-Firm and unchanged; sales, none.

Rye-Easy; No. 2, 541-4c.

Barley-Steady; feeding, 35c. bid; barley mait quiet.

Wheat-Spot easy; No. 2 red, \$1.007-8; No. 1 northern, Duluth, \$1.007-8; options opened firmer on higher cable news and moderate covering, but after a dull, featureless session, eased off under weak closing. French markets, and realizing, and closed unsettled at a 1-8g1-4c, advance on near, and a 1-4g1-2c, net decline on late months; No. 2 red, January, closed \$3-3-4c.; May closed \$1-8c.

Corn-Spot easy; No. 2, 345-8c.; options opened steady, with wheat, advanced on better cables, but weakened finally, under realizing and light export demand, and closed 1-8c, net lower; May closed 341-8c.

Oats-Spot steady; No. 2, 23-4c.; options dull and easy, closing unchanged; May closed 281-8c.

Feed-Firm.

Hay-Dull.

Beef-Firm-Steady.

Lard-Steady; city, \$1.65g\$4.70; sales, 100 tierces; option sales: May closed \$5.15 nominally.

Por2-Dull. SAVANNAH, GA., January 14.—Spirits Turpentine—Firm at 32c.; sales, 62 casks; receipts, 457 casks. Rosin—Firm and unchanged; sales, none; receipts, 3,552 barrels. NORFOLK PEANUT MARKET. NORFOLK, VA., January 14.—(Special.) Fancy, 21-4c.; strictly prime, 2c.; prime, 1 3-4c.; common, 181 1-2c.; Spanish, 52 1-2c. PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

inally.

Por'z—Dull.

Butter—Steady; western creamery.

14 1-26/20c.; do. factory, 11/6/15c.; Eligins.

29c.; Imitation creamery, 13/6/17c.; State dairy, 13/6/18c.; do. creamery, 14/6/19c.

Cheese—Steady; large white, September, 8 1-26/8 3-4c.

Eggs—Quiet; State and Pennsylvania, 20/6/22c.; western, fresh, 20/6/22c.

Potatoes—Steady; New York, \$2.37 1-26/9/20c. PETERSBURG, VA., January 14.— (Special.)—Virginia nuts steady; prime, 2c.; extra prime, 2 1-8c.; fancy, 24c.; com-mon. 14614c., as to quality; black, 1c.; Spanish firm at 5114c. per bushel. PETERSBURG COTTON MARKET. PETERSBURG. VA., January 11.— (Special.)—Cotton—Firm at 5½c. for good lots; off grades, 4%@5½c.

SUICIDE IN WASHINGTON.

Seaton Perry, a Leading Dry-Goods

Merchant, Shoots Himself.

WASHINGTON, January 1.—Mr. Seaton Perry, for many years one of the leading dry-goods merchants of Washington, committed suicide by shooting himself at an early hour this morning.

For many years he had been a sufferer from insommia, brought on by nervousness from close application to his business. from close application to his business.

Deceased was about 64 years old, and

Deceased was about 64 years old, and leaves a family. He had accumulated considerable money, and it was his intention to retire from business in a few years. His wife was also wealthy in her own right. The establishment of Mr. Perry, had been doing business for more than half a century. It was one of the business houses on Pennsy, ania avenue that had kept pace with the city, and met the competition brought by the establishment of department stores. His affairs are said to be in excellent condition. Judge Dick Will Retire.

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WINSTON, N. C., January 14.—(Special.)
Authentic information was received here
to-day that Judge Robert Dick, of the
United States Court, will soon retire from
the bench on account of ill health. Several Winston lawyers received letters today from Judge Robert M. Douglass, Associate Justice of the State Supreme
Court, and son-in-law of Judge Dick, asking them to write letters of endorsement
to President McKinley as to his character
and fitness for the position. Judge Douglass says his name has already been suggested to the President as Judge Dick a
successor. He also states that his fatherin-law's health will necessitate his early
retirement. Some of the leading Republicans here express the opinion that either
Senator Pritchard or Colonel James Boyd
will succeed Judge Dick.

Telegraphic Briefs.

Lendon.—The Rev. C. H. Dodson, whose nom de plume was "Lewis Carroll," the author of "Alice in Wonderland," is dead, Memphis, Tenn.—Rev. E. A. Ramsey, bastor of the First Presbyterian church, and one of the best known divines in the South, died; aged 46.

Calcutta.—Sir James Westland, the Finance Minister of the Council, introduced a bill providing for the issue of currency notes in India against gold. London.—The Daily Mail contains the formal announcement that Mr. Lawrence irving, son of Sir Henry Irving, is engaged to marry Miss Ethel Barrymore, the acters.

the actress.

Mexico City.—Four Americans have been arrested, and are held rigorously "incommunicado." being suspected of complicity in robberies of great magnitude. The gang numbers twelve men.

New York.—Captain McCloskey and a squad of detectives raided four alleged bucket-shops in the Wail-street section, and arrested seventeen prisoners. The piaces had been watched for savetal weeks.

weeks.

Washington.—The following fourth-class postmasters have been appointed in North Carolina: Elf. Hattle Leaforet, Kittreit, J. H. Tharp: Magnolia, C. W. Hollissworth; Nussman, John R. Nussman: Outhook, L. A. Reese; Saxapahaw, Isaac Hoit; Stane Mountain, James I. Moffatt; Troutman's, M. Milhoutzher.

Barboursville, Ky.—News has reached here of a bloody fight at a "blind tiger" Wednesday, on Sandy Fork, Leslie county, in which Robert Calwell, Smith Helton, John Williams, and Tom Wilson, all colored, were killed, and Will Burgas was mortally wounded. All of the parties were intoxicated.

Columbus, C.—C. L. Kurtz, leader of

mortally wounded. All of the parties were intoxicated.

Columbus, O.—C. L. Kurtz, leader of "the combine" in the fight against Senator Hanna, is quoted in an interview as saying in reply to the threat to remove him from the Republican National Committee: "I was elected by the Ohio delegation, and no one else has the power to remove me."

Washington.—The Vice-President and Mrs. Hobart entertained the President and Mrs. McKinley at a beautifully appointed dinner of twenty covers. It was Mrs. McKinley's first appearance as a dinner guest in Washington since the inauguration. Her gown was of rich blue satin, and her ornaments were diamonds.

London.—The committee of the elited trade unions, on the initiative of the Amalgamated Engineers, has decided to withdraw the demand for a 48-hour labor week, and the principal demand of the workingmen, and the workmen's omerais hope the employers will withdraw the lockout notices, and thus end the great labor dispute.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE. MINIATURE ALMANAC, JAN. 15, 1808. 
 Sun rises
 7:25
 HIGH TIDE

 Sun sets
 5:15 Morning
 9:54

 Moon rises
 12:24 Evening
 10:59
 PORT OF RICHMOND, JAN. 14, 1898.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Richmond. Glover, Norfolk, merchandise and passengers; Old Dominion Steamship Company. SAILED.

Steamer Pocahontas, Shelly, Norfolk, merchandise and passengers; Virginia Navigation Company.
Steamer Richmond, Giover, New York; merchandise and passengers; Old Dominion Steamship Company. PORT OF NEWPORT NEWS, JAN. 14th,

(By telegraph.) ARRIVED.

Steamer Blue Star, Galveston.
Steamer James Tucker, Boston.
Schooner David P. Davis, Providence.
Schooner Lewis H. Ganard, Boston.
Barge Quinnebaug, New York.
Barke Helicon, New York.
Barge Coal King, from sea, towed in by
tug C. W. Morse.

SALLED.

Steamer Paris, New York. Steamer Blue Star, Liverpool. Steamer St. Marnock, Antwerp.

PORT OF WEST POINT, JAN. 14, 1898. (By telegraph.)
ARRIVED

Steamship Baltimore, Murphy, Balti-more; passengers and general cargo. SAILED. Steamship Baltimore, Murphy, Balti-more; passengers and general cargo. FINANCIAL.

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